

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M -22830 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of decision: 02.08.2016

Darshan Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. S.S. Antal, Advocate for
Mr. Abhimanyu Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI Vijay Kumar.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in case FIR No.55, dated 15.04.2015, registered under Section 306 IPC, at Police Station City Kharar, District SAS Nagar.

On 12.06.2016, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Petitioner seeks the concession of pre-arrest bail in a case registered at the instance of Maninder Singh alleging that his father Balwant Singh having been harassed by the petitioner and others had committed suicide.

It is a case where the dead body of Balwant Singh has not yet been recovered but the petitioner has been implicated in the case on the basis of the suicide note. Petition filed by co-accused

of the petitioner is stated to be fixed for August 2, 2016.

Notice to Advocate General, Punjab, for August 2, 2016.

Meanwhile, an interim direction is issued that the petitioner will join investigation on July 23, 2016 and in case of his doing so, he will be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the arresting officer.”

It is contended that in pursuance of the order dated 12.06.2016, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

The learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 12.06.2016, is made absolute, subject to the conditions contained in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands allowed.

02.08.2016
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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable:	Yes	No